



Committee on Community Colleges and Workforce

**Meeting
Tuesday, March 7, 2006
2:00 PM – 4:00 PM
Room 24, House Office Building**

ACTION PACKET

Revised

Allan Bense
Speaker

Pat Patterson
Committee Chair

COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT
Community Colleges & Workforce Committee
3/7/2006 2:00:00PM

Location: 24 HOB

Attendance:

	<i>Present</i>	<i>Absent</i>	<i>Excused</i>
Pat Patterson (Chair)	X		
Gustavo Barreiro	X		
Ron Greenstein	X		
Edward Jennings	X		
Paige Kreegel	X		
Matthew Meadows	X		
John Quinones	X		
Baxter Troutman			X
Totals:	7	0	1

COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT
Community Colleges & Workforce Committee

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Location: 24 HOB

HB 373 : Tuition Waivers

☒ *Favorable With Committee Substitute*

	<i>Yea</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>No Vote</i>	<i>Absentee Yea</i>	<i>Absentee Nay</i>
Gustavo Barreiro	X				
Ron Greenstein	X				
Edward Jennings	X				
Paige Kreegel	X				
Matthew Meadows	X				
John Quinones	X				
Baxter Troutman				X	
Pat Patterson (Chair)	X				
Total Yeas: 7 Total Nays: 0					

HB 373 Amendments

Amendment 1

☒ Adopted Without Objection

Amendment 2

☒ Adopted Without Objection

Appearances:

Tuition Waivers

Richard "Dick" Giese - Proponent

Legislative Chairman - Disabled American Veterans

7481 Brairbay Loop

Lakeland FL 33810

Phone: 407-414-3425

COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT
Community Colleges & Workforce Committee
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Location: 24 HOB

HB 513 : Career and Professional Academies

☒ *Temporarily Deferred*

COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT
Community Colleges & Workforce Committee

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Location: 24 HOB

HB 801 : Florida Ready to Work Certification Program

☒ *Favorable With Committee Substitute*

	<i>Yea</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>No Vote</i>	<i>Absentee Yea</i>	<i>Absentee Nay</i>
Gustavo Barreiro	X				
Ron Greenstein				X	
Edward Jennings	X				
Paige Kreegel	X				
Matthew Meadows	X				
John Quinones	X				
Baxter Troutman				X	
Pat Patterson (Chair)	X				
Total Yeas: 6 Total Nays: 0					

HB 801 Amendments

Amendment 1

☒ Adopted Without Objection

Appearances:

Ready to Work Certification Program
David Armstrong - Proponent
Chancellor
325 W. Gaines St
Tallahassee FL 32399

COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT
Community Colleges & Workforce Committee

3/7/2006 2:00:00PM

Location: 24 HOB

PCB CCW 06-01 : Postsecondary Education

☒ *Favorable With Amendments*

	<i>Yea</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>No Vote</i>	<i>Absentee Yea</i>	<i>Absentee Nay</i>
Gustavo Barreiro	X				
Ron Greenstein	X				
Edward Jennings	X				
Paige Kreegel	X				
Matthew Meadows	X				
John Quinones	X				
Baxter Troutman				X	
Pat Patterson (Chair)	X				
Total Yeas: 7		Total Nays: 0			

PCB CCW 06-01 Amendments

Amendment 1

☒ Adopted Without Objection

Amendment 2

☒ Adopted Without Objection

Appearances:

Postsecondary Education
David Armstrong - Proponent
Chancellor
325 W. Gaines St
Tallahassee FL 32399

Postsecondary Education
Dr. Bill Law - Proponent
Chairman, Community Colleges Council of Presidents
444 Appleyard Dr.
Tallahassee FL 32304

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Community Colleges & Workforce Committee

3/7/2006 2:00:00PM

Location: 24 HOB

Summary:

Community Colleges & Workforce Committee

Tuesday March 07, 2006 02:00 pm

HB 373 Favorable With Committee Substitute

Yeas: 7 Nays: 0

Amendment 1 Adopted Without Objection

Amendment 2 Adopted Without Objection

HB 513 Temporarily Deferred

HB 801 Favorable With Committee Substitute

Yeas: 6 Nays: 0

Amendment 1 Adopted Without Objection

PCB CCW 06-01 Favorable With Amendments

Yeas: 7 Nays: 0

Amendment 1 Adopted Without Objection

Amendment 2 Adopted Without Objection

HOUSE AMENDMENT FOR COUNCIL/COMMITTEE PURPOSES

Amendment No.1 (for drafter's use only)

Bill No. HB 373

COUNCIL/COMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED _____ (Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED _____ (Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION _____ (Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT _____ (Y/N)
WITHDRAWN _____ (Y/N)
OTHER _____

Council/Committee hearing bill: Community Colleges &
Workforce Committee

Representative(s) Harrell offered the following:

Amendment

Remove line(s) 15 thru 23 and insert:

(a) Is enrolled as a full-time, part-time, or summer-
school student in an undergraduate program that terminates in a
degree or certificate;

(b) Is currently, and was at the time of the military
action that resulted in the awarding of the Purple Heart, a
resident of this state; and

(c) Submits to the community college or university, the
DD-214 form issued at the time of separation from service, as
documentation that the student has received a Purple Heart.

Such a waiver for a Purple Heart recipient shall be applicable
for 110 percent of the number of required credit hours of the
degree or certificate program for which the student is enrolled.

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HOUSE AMENDMENT FOR COUNCIL/COMMITTEE PURPOSES

Amendment No.2 (for drafter's use only)

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23 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

24 Remove line 5 insert:

25 fulfills specified criteria; providing a percentage cap on the
26 number of required credit hours for which a tuition waiver may
27 be received; providing an effective date.

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HOUSE AMENDMENT FOR COUNCIL/COMMITTEE PURPOSES

Amendment No. 2 (for drafter's use only)

Bill No. HB 373

COUNCIL/COMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED _____ (Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED _____ (Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION (Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT _____ (Y/N)
WITHDRAWN _____ (Y/N)
OTHER _____

1 Council/Committee hearing bill: Community Colleges & Workforce
2 Committee

3 Representative(s) Kreegel offered the following:

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5 **Amendment**

6 On page 1, line 12 Remove line(s) 12 and insert:

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8 (9) A state
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HOUSE AMENDMENT FOR COUNCIL/COMMITTEE PURPOSES

Amendment No. (for drafter's use only)

Bill No. 801

COUNCIL/COMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED _____ (Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED _____ (Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION _____ (Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT _____ (Y/N)
WITHDRAWN _____ (Y/N)
OTHER _____

Council/Committee hearing bill:

Representative Patterson offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. Section 1004.99, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

1004.99 Florida Ready to Work Certification Program.--

(1) There is created the Florida Ready to Work Certification Program to enhance the workplace skills of Florida's students to better prepare them for successful entry-level employment in specific occupations.

(2) The Florida Ready to Work Certification Program may be conducted in public high schools, community colleges, technical centers, one-stop career centers, vocational rehabilitation centers, and Department of Juvenile Justice educational facilities. The Department of Education shall establish institutional readiness criteria for program implementation.

(3) The Florida Ready to Work Certification Program shall be composed of:

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HOUSE AMENDMENT FOR COUNCIL/COMMITTEE PURPOSES

Amendment No. (for drafter's use only)

22 (a) A comprehensive identification of workplace skills for
23 each occupation identified for inclusion in the program by the
24 Agency for Workforce Innovation.

25 (b) A preinstructional assessment that delineates the
26 student's mastery level on the specific workplace skills
27 identified for that occupation.

28 (c) A targeted instructional program limited to those
29 identified workplace skills in which the student is not
30 proficient as measured by the preinstructional assessment.
31 Instruction must utilize a web based program and be customized
32 to meet identified specific needs of local employers.

33 (d) A certificate and portfolio awarded to students upon
34 successful completion of the instruction. Each portfolio must
35 delineate the skills demonstrated by the student as evidence of
36 the student's preparation for employment.

37 (4) The State Board of Education, in consultation with the
38 Agency for Workforce Innovation, may adopt rules pursuant to ss.
39 120.536(1) and 120.54 to implement the provisions of this
40 section.

41 (5) This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.
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44 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

45 Remove line(s) 3-8 and insert:
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47 Program; creating s. 1004.99, F.S.; creating the program to
48 enhance student workplace skills; providing for implementation;
49 providing program components; authorizing rulemaking;

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Amendment No. 2 (for drafter's use only)

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ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION ☒ (Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT _____ (Y/N)
WITHDRAWN _____ (Y/N)
OTHER _____

Council/Committee hearing bill:

Representative(s) *Jennings* offered the following:

Amendment

Remove line(s) 168-169 and insert:

successfully complete a GED program to attend a program offered
by an accredited

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Amendment No. 1 (for drafter's use only)

PCB CCW 06-01

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ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION ☒ (Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT _____ (Y/N)
WITHDRAWN _____ (Y/N)
OTHER _____

Council/Committee hearing bill: Community Colleges and
Workforce
Representative(s) *Patterson;*
Jennings offered the following:

Amendment

Remove line(s) 128-129 and insert:

the program areas of criminal justice, business, nursing, allied
health and early childhood education. The career paths shall
provide for the

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